

Federal Communications Commission

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to evaluate the progress of the developmental program, the licensee shall submit, in duplicate, a comprehensive report on the following items, in the order designated:

(1) Report on the various phases of the project which were investigated.

(2) Total number of hours of operation on each frequency assigned.

(3) Copies of any publication on the project.

(4) A listing of any patents applied for, including copies of any patents issued as a consequence of the activities carried forth under the authorization.

(5) Detailed analysis of the result obtained.

(6) Any other pertinent information.

(b) In addition to the information required by paragraph (a) of this section, the developmental report of a station authorized for the development of a proposed radio service shall include comprehensive information on the following items:

(1) Probable public support and methods of its determination.

(2) Practicability of service operations.

(3) Interference encountered.

(4) Pertinent information relative to merits of the proposed service.

(5) Propagation characteristics of frequencies used, particularly with respect to the service objective.

(6) Frequencies believed to be more suitable and reasons therefor.

(7) Type of signals or communications employed in the experimental work.

(c) Normally, developmental reports will be made a part of the Commission's public records. However, an applicant may request that the Commission withhold from the public certain reports and associated material relative to the accomplishments achieved under developmental authorization, and, if it appears that such information should be withheld, the Commission will so direct.

Subparts G—J [Reserved]

Subpart K—Multipoint Distribution Service

§ 21.900 Eligibility.

(a) Authorizations for stations in this service will be granted to existing and proposed communications common carriers and non-common carriers. An application will be granted only in cases where it can be shown that:

(1) The applicant is legally, financially, technically, and otherwise qualified to render the proposed service; and

(2) There are frequencies available to enable the applicant to render a satisfactory service; and

(3) The public interest, convenience and necessity would be served by a grant thereof.

(b) The applicant shall state whether service will be provided on a common carrier basis, a non-common carrier basis, or alternating between a common carrier and non-common carrier basis. In addition, an applicant proposing to provide any common carrier service whatsoever shall state whether there is any affiliation or relationship to any intended or likely subscriber or program originator.

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EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 63 FR 65103, Nov. 25, 1998, § 21.900 was revised. Paragraph (b) contains information and recordkeeping requirements and will not become effective until approval has been given by the Office of Management and Budget. The text in effect until OMB clearance is obtained is set forth as follows:

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(b) There are frequencies available to enable the applicant to render a satisfactory service; and

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§ 21.901 Frequencies.

(a) Frequencies in the bands 2150–2162 MHz, 2596–2644 MHz, 2650–2656 MHz, 2662–2668 MHz, 2674–2680 MHz and 2686–2690 MHz are available for assignment